# Indiana Association of Accredited Flower Judges collection L526

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## **Summary Information**

**Repository** Rare Books and Manuscripts

Creator Indiana Association of Accredited Flower Judges (Indianapolis, Ind.).

Title Indiana Association of Accredited Flower Judges collection

**Date** 1949-1988

**Extent** 1.0 Cubic feet 1 cubic foot box

**Language** English

### **Preferred Citation**

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### **Administrative History**

The Indiana Association of Accredited Flower Show Judges was organized in Indianapolis, Indiana following the Flower Show School held in February 1949. Mrs. John Downing of Mooresville, Indiana, President of the Garden Club of Indiana from 1947-1949, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Thomas Ayton of Indianapolis, Indiana and Mrs. Chester Steed of Red Key, Indiana were elected president and secretary-treasurer. Thirty Garden Club members who were nationally Accredited Flower Show Judges signed the membership roster at the meeting.

The purpose of the organization was to make it possible for the group to study advanced theories in horticulture and flower arrangement. The Constitution/By-laws approved November 9, 1949, added a) to interpret the standardized judging rules, c) to have available a list of accredited judges in Indiana and d) to furnish information or help necessary to the promotion of more efficient flower shows.

The Association is still active as of 2012.

Information found within the collection.

The Garden Club of Indiana, Inc. "Indiana Gardens". Spring Issue Vol. 74, No. 1, 2010 (pp. 5-6). Print.

## **Scope and Contents**

This collection includes minutes, correspondence, financial records, newspaper articles, brochures, and realia from the Indiana Association of Accredited Flower Show Judges and other organizations and individuals in Indianapolis, Indiana ranging from 1949 to 1988 regarding the organization's activities, accomplishments and business.

### Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

### **Administrative Information**

#### **Publication Information**

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#### **Conditions Governing Access**

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#### **Custodial History**

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Barbara S. Bilby on 1993/05/27.

#### Accruals

No further additions are expected.

#### **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed 2015/05/20 by Edythe Huffman. EAD finding aid created 2015/05/20 by Edythe Huffman.

## **Controlled Access Headings**

#### **Geographic Name(s)**

• Indianapolis (Ind.)

## Subject(s)

- Correspondence
- Horticulture--History
- Minutes
- Scrapbooks

# **Collection Inventory**

	Box	Folder
Minutes, 1975/05/08-1981/09/03	1	2
Minutes, 1963/07/10-1975/03/11	1	1
Call letters and membership lists, 1965/07/19-/1979/11/01; 1951-1983	1	3
Secretary files, 1980/03/12-1988/12/06	1	4
	Box	Object
Scrapbook, 1949-1957	2	1
Scrapbook, 1957-1969	2	2